COMT
Communications Unit Technician

Course Description

This course is provided through a partnership with the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA).

This class provides introductory and refresher training for the NIMS ICS COMT position. It introduces public safety professionals and support staff to various communications concepts and technologies including interoperable communications solutions, LMR communications, satellite, telephone, data, and computer technologies used in incident response and planned events.

Participants develop the essential core competencies required for performing the duties of the COMT in an all-hazards incident, including responsibilities while operating in a local, regional, or state-level All-Hazards Incident Management Team.

Audience

This course is designed for state/territory, tribal, urban, and local emergency response professionals and support personnel in all disciplines who have a technical communications background.

This course is limited to 16 participants.

Prerequisites

- A public safety communications background with experience in field operations
- A technical communications background
- Awareness of fundamental public safety communications technology
- Basic knowledge of applicable communications plans
- Required: ICS 100, ICS 200, ICS 700, ICS 800

Registration

Register at IdahoPrepares.com by **May 22nd, 2023**.

For questions about registration, visit www.ioem.idaho.gov/idaho-prepares-faqs/.

Date(s) & Time(s)

June 5th-9th, 2023
8:00 .am. - 5:00 p.m.

Location

700 S. Stratford Dr.
Bldg. 9 Training Room
Meridian, ID
83642

Course Tuition

No cost for this class.

Course Completion

Participants who actively participate, attend the entire course, and successfully complete the course will receive a Certificate of Completion.

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